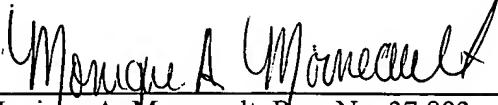


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No new matter is being presented through this amendment. Applicants respectfully request entry of the above amendment.

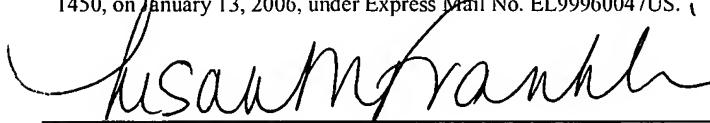
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